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**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION**

Sir:

In response to the Advisory Action dated July 13, 2004, and the telephone interviews between the Examiner and Applicant's attorney held on August 25, 2004, and September 3, 2004, respectively, please enter and consider the following amendments and remarks in the above-identified patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 8 of this paper.